

THE STAFF OF LIFE.

WHEAT CROPS OF THE WORLD—TELLING FIGURES.

England's Reliance on the United States for Breadstuffs—Superior Quality and Price of American Wheat—India's Immense Product.

Mr. J. B. Dodge, the statistician of the Department of Agriculture, in an article on the product and price of wheat, in the August crop report, states that the official record of imports of wheat into the United Kingdom for the first half of the present year shows a large increase in the proportion furnished by the United States, 68 per cent. against 54 per cent. in the first six months of 1886 and 1885. Counting flour as wheat, the proportion is 73.5 per cent. against 60.5 in a similar period of 1886 and 60.6 in 1885. There is a great reduction in receipts from Russia, a decrease from India of 20 per cent., as compared with the first half of last year, and a decrease from Australia. The value of wheat from this country is 8 cents more per bushel than from India, and 5 cents more than Russian wheat. It is higher than that of any non-European country, and yet the quantity furnished is twice as much as that supplied by other countries. This is a satisfactory test of the comparative quality of our wheat, especially as the price averaged 5 cents higher than for a similar period last year. While India is the principal competitor of the United States in the world's markets, her importance as a competitor is greatly overrated. The occurrence of "famine year" would reduce to zero her exports. A 10 per cent. surplus that cannot be depended on in a crop half as large as ours cannot take the place of our surplus, which is more than half as large as the India crop. South America has greater possibilities as a competitor, though its area in wheat is small as yet. The present indications point to a more than average European crop. The Russian and Austrian crops especially are of fine promise. That of Spain is medium. In Germany, France and England reports are generally favorable. The Indian crop harvested a few months ago, will be 20,000,000 bushels less than the preceding year, say 238,000,000 bushels. Australia will produce probably 15,000,000 bushels more than in 1886, say 37,000,000 bushels. The product of the world promises to be quite as much as for each of the two preceding harvests. Present indications do not promise material increase in prices; they certainly do not demand lower prices. He says that the product of the vast army of labor in India is nearly all consumed at home. For the past six years the exports of all kinds of merchandise from that country have averaged only \$1.21 for each inhabitant, while the exports from the United States have been \$15.59 for each inhabitant. The agricultural production of India is about \$8 a year per capita, while that of the United States is more than \$70 a year per capita. The deposits in savings banks alone of the single State of New Hampshire are three times as great as the deposits in all the banks of India taken together.

Value of Advertisements.

(Hartford Courant.) Advertisements are a very important part of the newspaper, and in some respects the most interesting part. In turning over the old files of the Courant, in the last century, the very life of the times is found in the advertising columns, the wants, the discoveries, the inventions, the dress, amusements, manners, habits of the people. A real history of the people of the United States could not be written without the advertisements in the old files of the Courant and its revolutionary contemporaries—most of which, alas, died the early death of the pioneers. And it is true today that the advertisements are not only chronicling the life that now is, but that they are becoming more and more of public interest. They are the people's easy method of communicating with each other, bringing the buyer and the seller together and making acquainted those who have any wants or anything to exchange. In some of the little German newspapers published in highly civilized and intelligent communities, the wants and exchange columns are perfect epitomes of human life, the very life-blood of business and trade in small things. We do not begin to use the newspapers as we might do in the details of daily wants. If a man has anything to sell, from a library or steam engine to a violin or dress coat, a simple line in a newspaper makes it known to thousands of people at a trifling expense. If he wants to purchase a circular and mail it, the cost would be considerable, and he would not reach a quarter of the ordinary newspaper audience. Beside the circular is often considered a pushing impertinence, while the newspaper announcement coming unobserved along with the morning news, brings information which is taken without protest as a matter of course.

Important as the advertisements are, all advertisers have not yet learned how to use them. They should be every day fresh, readable, entertaining, and with skill they can be almost as readable as any part of the paper. The advertiser need not necessarily be joocose or attempt any thin deceptions to beguile the unwary reader, but he can make his announcement attractive and at the same time perfectly sensible and straightforward. We may almost call advertising a science, and people are successful in it according to their skill in addressing the public. We believe that the development of the newspaper advertisement has only just begun. We look to see it more and more important. As the modern newspaper is the cheapest product of an inventive age, considering its contents, so the advertisement in it is the cheapest, far away the cheapest method yet discovered in business intercourse.

The Eccentricities of Herr Krupp.

(London Truth.) The following stories of the late Herr Krupp are curious: It was a standing order to all those who surrounded or approached him that the word "death" was never to be mentioned or referred to in conversation within the precincts of his great establishment. Some years ago a relation of his wife's came to stay with him, and was taken suddenly ill and died. When Krupp heard of it he fled immediately to the neighboring town of Dusseldorf, and would not return until after the relation had been duly buried. This very naturally led to a scene with his wife, the result being that they separated. Mrs. Krupp went to live at Dresden, and not even the entreaties of their son, prevailed on Herr Krupp to see her before he died. The same stubbornness was shown by him when his son Fritz, who contested the parliamentary borough (Essen) at the last general election in the interest of the Government, was defeated by the "ultra" or "clerical party." Herr Krupp issued an edict that no employee should take into his cottage or

read the local papers of the Ultramontane party. A few days after this edict a poor workman, being found wrapping up his "butterbrod" in a sheet of this journal, was instantly dismissed.

Fish from the Gulf of Mexico.

(New Orleans Times-Democrat.) There have been from all along the gulf coast this year the most favorable reports as to the fishing. The catch has been everywhere phenomenally fine, and whether Spanish mackerel, redfish, redsnapper or silver fish, the returns have been good—better by long odds than for any previous season. When the Bonnet Carre crevasse was closed several years ago one of the arguments in its favor was that its closing would improve the fishing along the Mississippi coast, the fresh water from the river having had a very injurious effect in driving off the salt water fish and ruining the oyster-beds. In one respect it did have all that was expected of it. The oyster-beds along the coast have revived, the oysters improved in size, flavor and quality, and oyster packing and shipping have become an important industry. It has latterly been found that the gulf mullet, which have hitherto been despised and used only for bait make a very good brand of salt fish, and it is probable that other varieties of the finny tribe in the gulf, now overlooked, can be utilized profitably.

Value of Newspapers.

(Charleston S. C. News.) There is nothing speculative in well-established newspaper property. Newspaper is hard to build up, but it is proportionately difficult to pull down. It is an aggregation of atoms, and its segregation, under the most favorable circumstances, takes years and years. The fact that it depends on thousands of customers for success is its protection. No two groups of men think alike, and what displeases one set pleases another. Even imprudent management cannot seriously injure a paper, so long as it does not tread upon the toes of too many of its readers at the same time. Where it loses in one direction it gains in another. There is, indeed, only one way in which a newspaper can effectually destroy itself, and that is by disappointing and continuing to disappoint the general expectations of its readers as a whole. These readers expect the newspaper to keep within certain lines, and the newspaper that deliberately goes outside and camps there will starve to death as soon as its readers have found a newspaper that suits them.

Milton's Grave at St. Giles.

St. Giles, Cripplegate, is one of the oldest of the oldest churches, and full of tombs and monuments of the most interesting kind. Past its doors roll the endless noisy stream of commercial life, but inside its doors, which are open all the day long, there is a quiet which seems the more peaceful for its strong contrast with the outside whirl. The place to which a visitor would, as a matter of course, direct his steps before he turns to anything else, is the grave of Milton, which is marked by a white marble slab in the floor, just in front of the corporation pew. The actual grave is said to be under a pew a little farther back, and until recent years a bust of Milton and a memorial stone were placed above his grave against the wall. In 1862, however, a subscription was got up, the result of which was the present ornamental monument, facing the entrance to the church, in which the bust and stone are incorporated.

A Masculine Prerogative Stolen.

(Cape May Letter to Baltimore American.) The young ladies have caught on to another new wrinkle this year. Most of the young ladies wear heavy buckskin shoes whenever necessity compels them to go near the beach, as they are said to be more comfortable and durable than kid boots. In order to make a respectable appearance at the hotel, they hail the nearest bootblack after bathing hours. The young lady in question puts one dainty-looking foot on the box, tucks up her skirts, leans her back against the side of one of the bath-houses and appears as unconscious about the matter as if she had been used to it all her life. When the ordeal is over the boy taps his box, receives a dime for his work and the maiden walks through the gauntlet of men with as much coolness and composure as an old war veteran.

A Mean Insinuation.

(Boston Globe.) Never marry a girl who refuses to eat corn from a cob; ten to one she has got corn teeth.

Thirteen Prizes: \$4000: \$8000!

Your chances are rapidly growing less to secure a number for the drawing of four handsome residences, \$1000 each and nine \$1000-lots for \$800 on day of distribution of fifty-four beautiful lots in Buena Vista tract, the finest yet offered. Distribution takes place August 28th, at 10 a.m., at first undesignated office, if all lots are sold. A rare opportunity. See the advertisement in this paper. Call at once for number, catalogue and all information on W. H. Fairbanks, Room 13, Los Angeles National Bank building, corner First and Spring, or Stanton & Mathews, 34 Main.

To Be Damned.

Scaled proposals for the pile-driving for the construction of a dam in the New San Gabriel River, on the lands of the California Co-operative Colony, will be received at the office of the Colony, rooms 3 and 4, Newell block, West Second street, Los Angeles, up to noon on Saturday, August 27th. The board reserves the right to reject any and all bids. By order of the Board of Directors. Ralph E. Hoyt, President.

The sales of the Wolfkill Orchard tract amount in the past two days to over one million dollars, and the demand at the office of the Los Angeles Land Bureau, No. 29 West First street, still continues. We advise any one desiring lots in this tract not to delay beyond this week.

Homes for the People.

People's prices, on an assured car line, at 1000. Prices advanced in the Old Clapnet hard after Tuesday, from \$50 to \$100 per lot. Come quick and don't get left without one of these beautiful lots. Vernon Land Company, 16 South Main.

Every merchant in Los Angeles should own a lot in Jones' Ocean Spray tract, Santa Monica. The grandest ocean and mountain view in the world. Every lot faces the ocean; cement sidewalks and water piped to every lot.

"Sunset." This has no reference to "Old Sol," but the Sunset of the Wolfkill ranch. Sale of lots begins Monday, August 15, Room 16, over Los Angeles National Bank. E. E. Hall, Secretary.

Contract to Let For digging two 25-foot cesspools, one cellar and the filling of lot with sandy loam and red gravel. Call on George O. Ford, No. 2, corner Main and First streets.

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281 acres alfalfa land, near Santa Ana.
500 acres near Ontario, \$50 per acre, a bargain.
Lots and blocks in the Orange Slope tract, or will sell the whole tract.
Cottage of six rooms, with two lots; fine improvements; in good locality \$8000.
Fine residence on Charity st., near Second, \$8000.
New cottage of 6 rooms, on the hill south of Second st., \$8000.
Cottage of 6 rooms, on Laurel, near Grand ave., \$4000.
2 lots corner of Washington and Estrella sts., 15x105, \$6000.
4 lots corner of Union ave. and Ninth st., \$7000.
2 lots in the West Bonnie Brue tract, a bargain, \$5000.
2 lots on Washington st. (Newell & Rader subs.), 15x100, \$7000.
2 lots on Chavez st., cheap, \$3000.
Lot on Nevada st., near Pico and Figueroa, \$1700.
Lot on Fourth st., east of Main, with house and cottage, \$225 per foot.
Lot on Belmont ave., near Diamond, 60x150, \$2500.
Lot on Estrella avenue, \$2500.
Lot on Bonsoil avenue, \$3000.
Lot in the Melrose tract, \$2500.
Lot on Pearl st., 800 per front foot.
Lots in Park Villa.
Lots in the Greenwell tract, Pico st.
Lots in the Millard ave. tract, Pico st.
Lots in the Electric Highway Homestead tract.

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\$1000—Lot on Grace ave., near Main.
\$1500—Lot on 6th St., near Main.
\$1200—Lot on Goodwin street, near Main.
\$2500—Lot on Grand avenue.
\$1500—Lot on 10th St. on Hill street.
\$8000—Lot 100x150 on Main street; 6-room house, well and tank, stable, fruit and flowers; cheap.
\$1000—Lot on Sichel st., near Kurtz st.
\$3000—Lot 120x135, near Downey avenue; 6-room house, stable, fruit, flowers and well.
\$1100—Lot in Los Angeles Homestead tract.
\$1100—Lot in Sunset tract.
\$1200—Lot on Walnut, near Main street.
\$1000—Lots near Walnut avenue.
5 acres on Main street; cheap.
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30 acres in Duarte, near depot.
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Real Estate—Hafen Tract.

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COLONIA, in the Santa Clara Valley, has railroad prospects.

WHAT is fame? A St. Joseph, Mo., paper speaks of "one John Swinton."

GEN. CLINTON B. FISK, the prohibition leader of New Jersey, denies emphatically the Democratic story that he has been predicting Mr. Cleveland's reelection in 1888.

THE Stocton Mail is of the opinion that State division will come some time in the future, but is disposed to postpone that event until the State has three or four million people. They are coming, men and brethren.

It is estimated that more than \$90,000,000 of paper money and bonds issued by the United States Government have been lost or destroyed so as to never be presented for payment. Uncle Sam will be rich some day.

SINCE 1880 Kansas has increased in population from 996,000 to 1,600,000; her 3000 miles of railroad are now 6000; instead of 5000 school-houses there are 8000, and her personal property has increased from \$160,000,000 to \$300,000,000.

THE TIMES acknowledge the receipt of a complimentary invitation to attend the annual fair of the New Mexico Exposition and Driving Park Association, to be held at Albuquerque, September 20th, 21st, 22d and 23d. H. N. Jaffa is president and J. M. Weelock secretary.

WATSON, of the Louisville Courier-Journal, describes the President as a man who "is regarded with a kind of complacent good humor as a well-meaning and obstinate favorite of fortune, who cares very little what happens, so it doesn't happen to him." That definition will do.

GLADSTONE's attitude toward John Bright adds to the luster of his character. Writing to a friend, referring to Mr. Bright's attacks, he says: "My desire is to bear them in silence, and to remember only his patriotism and services, together with his unwavering friendship down to 1886."

FROM a list in the St. Louis Globe-Democrat, giving the names, politics and occupations of members of municipal governments in a number of the chief cities of the country, it appears that fourteen out of the twenty-five Aldermen in New York City are saloon keepers and Democrats.

THE Chicago Inter-Ocean says: "The President has no right to slight General Foraker and Ohio while swinging around the circle. Foraker was right about the flags, and the President was wrong. The President acknowledged that by rescinding his order as soon as it began to lighten and thunder around the horizon."

CHIEF POWDERLY says that the most important legislation for labor is requiring the weekly payment of wages. Many States with Republican Legislatures have not only made such laws, but have limited the hours of labor. Such a resolution makes a mighty substantial plank in any platform. It is one upon which employer and laborer may both stand with confidence and security.

THE Cleveland Leader's Washington special says that when a clerk is wanted in the Treasury Department the names of four applicants are certified to Appointment Clerk Higgins, who writes to the Democratic committee where the applicants live to inquire into their politics, by which means a Democrat is sure of the appointment every time. This is civil service reform "by a slight turn of the wrist," so to speak.

ATTENTION having been called to the circumstance that the Democratic candidate for the Governorship of Ohio is a red-headed man, the Lewiston, Ill., Democrat says he probably has a red nose also, and that when you see a red-headed man in Ohio politics you do not need to look far to find a rascal. The question arises, is the Ohio red-nosed man a superior article of rascal to that class of gentry found in other States?

THE trial of State Senator Hamilton, a Democratic leader, for the murder of Gambrell, the prohibition editor, has been begun in the county of Brandeis, Miss. Sixteen lawyers are engaged in the case. The sympathy of the Democratic State Administration is on the side of Hamilton, while the prohibition leaders regard Gambrell as a martyr to their cause. It is said that the result, whatever it may be, will influence the politics of Mississippi.

Napoleonic Finance.

The assignment of Henry S. Ives & Co. in New York disposes of another of those "Napoleonic finances" whose daring operations dazzle the street, and ultimately wreck a number of people's fortunes. The Boston Journal considers that the cheers which went up in the Stock Exchange when the failure was announced were an expression, not of ill will toward the suspended firm, but of relief that a load of anxiety and uncertainty had been lifted from the market. There has been a good deal of this pyrotechnic financing of late. Ferdinand Ward was a conspicuous illustration of it. Harper, of Cincinnati, who engineered the wheat deal with the funds of the Fidelity Bank, is another. Ives is another. We could point to examples on the Pacific Coast, Ward is paying the penalty of the crimes which were incident to his operations, and Harper is in jail. As to Mr. Ives, there is no evidence that there has been anything in his proceeding of which the law will take cognizance, though suggestions of that kind of thing have been made. There is a similarity in the three cases in this respect, that the operators were all young men, that dash and recklessness took the place of capital and experience in their operations, and that they encountered no difficulty in getting all the credit they wanted. So long as they kept aloft they were objects of admiration; when they went under, there were few mourners outside the immediate circle of sufferers. If this is Napoleonic finance, the less the country has of it the better. It is essentially grasping and reckless. It does not stimulate industry, nor add a dollar of actual value to any interest. It is only a species of wild gambling for high stakes, the immediate effect of which is disturbance and the ultimate effect is disaster. The wheat deal in San Francisco and the land gambling in various parts of the State are of this Napoleonic financing. There is danger in it. The slower processes of legitimate money-making are the only really sound processes to be resorted to as the permanent practice by men who would jealously guard their business integrity and standing.

THE San Francisco Post and the Oakland Enquirer want the new cruiser, the building of which has just been awarded to the Union Iron Works of San Francisco, to be named the "Oakland." The Enquirer, in the course of a labored argument in favor of the adoption of the suggested nomenclature, speaks with contumely and reproach, as it were, of Los Angeles. It says: "Los Angeles would like to have the honor, but the people of San Francisco, if they cannot have the name of their own city given to the ship, would prefer to have her named Oakland, and their wishes ought to count for something." Not to mention the fact that Oakland is as large as Los Angeles—which probably does not signify, as Los Angeles has no chance anyway—Oakland wants it known that she is larger than Atlanta was when that city had a first-class cruiser named after her." Now this reference to Los Angeles is not only unkind, but it is preposterous in the highest degree. Who said Los Angeles wanted the cruiser named for her? Los Angeles is no salt-water town; she is a land town—"by a large majority"—and has land to sell. If the Navy Department, or Mr. Cleveland, or any of those fellows, want any land, let them come here for it. They may call their old boat what they please; so they give the land forces due credit, we are content.

THE Oakland Enquirer has an editorial on the prolific subject of booms, which contains many grains of sense and chunks of wisdom. Here are its opening sentences: "There are booms and booms, and they differ from one another, as the stars differ in glory. The right kind of boom in Oakland is desirable, but the wrong kind would be only a temporary benefit and a lasting detriment. There have been many things about the Los Angeles boom which we might object to seeing repeated in Oakland, but even the Los Angeles and San Diego booms are conservative in comparison with the boom in San Jose. It is too speculative and too violent to last. When \$1,000,000 or \$2,000,000 worth of property is sold in a single day in a city in which the real estate is valued at \$15,000,000 a day, it shows that gambling is taking the place of legitimate trading." And here is a closing sentence, which we are, of course, bound to call able and true: "In favor of the Los Angeles boom it must be said that it has really been accompanied by a large influx of population, by the construction of substantial improvements and the establishment of new industries." These be facts which those who would condemn the Los Angeles boom should not forget.

ALTHOUGH, as Mr. Harris, of Virginia, remarked, there is a good deal of him to divide between several places at the same time, and the business of establishing alibis for him by reporting him in widely distant parts of the country has been somewhat overworked. He doubtless regrets that he cannot be, as was announced, conducting official business at Oak View, fishing in West Virginia with Senator Kenna, bounding through the surf with Mrs. Cleveland on Cape Cod, and responding to the welcome of his fellow citizens at Peoria and Nashville, all on the same day or in the same week. But Mr. Cleveland is not airy and agile enough for the vale of omnipresence. He might exclaim, "O that this too solid flesh would melt!"

MR. VOORHEES praises President Cleveland's civil service reform, as he views it, with enthusiasm. He declares that there is but one Presidential post-office in Indiana where a change has not been made, and adds that if there is a fourth-class postoffice in the State which has not been filled by a Democrat it is because no Democrat was willing to take it. He has also a list of 150 young Indiana Democrats who have been appointed railway postal clerks. Collectors of Internal Revenue, United States Marshals and District Attorneys, with all their subordinates, have been changed. If this is not reform, Mr. Voorhees would like to know what is.

"Mr. President, if we are not here for their offices, what in hell are we here for?"

The Atlanta Constitution (Dem.) observes caustically that "the Kentucky election most effectually mashed the 'Kentucky idea.'" The Constitution adds:

Under Mr. Watterson's crazy leadership the enormous Democratic majority of more than one hundred thousand has been whittled down until six days after the election the actual result is doubtful. Six years ago Kentucky was the banner Democratic State of the Union. If Mr. Watterson has his way in another campaign, Kentucky will be a Republican State. Mr. Cleveland carried the State by over thirty-four thousand. Two years after the strongest local candidate that could have been nominated, barely scratches through in a gubernatorial race. Kentucky's caper cuts the faithful in the far South.

THE Texas Prohibitionists attribute their defeat to the anti-prohibition letter of Jefferson Davis, which, they think, turned great numbers of native-born Democrats against them; to the colored vote, of which they estimate four-fifths were against the amendment; and to the foreign-born voters, who opposed prohibition almost solidly. They figure that the white American-born voters were about equally divided on the question, and that the majority against the amendment, about 70,000, represents the colored and foreign vote. They propose to try it again.

In a recent decision the Interstate Commerce Commission states that common carriers may continue the issuance of mileage passenger tickets, the charges for which must be reasonable and free from unjust discrimination; that commercial travelers are not privileged to ride over railroads at lower rates than are paid by other persons, and to charge one person more than another is unjust discrimination, and this is true whether mileage tickets are issued or transportation is furnished in some other form.

THE disagreement of the juries in the Kennedy case, in San Francisco, and the Rozelle virgilio-throwing case, in Los Angeles, proves anew the wisdom of such States as have substituted the majority, or the two-thirds rule, for the unanimous requirement in jury verdicts. It is becoming more and more apparent that the expectation that twelve men will do more certain justice by agreement than nine out of twelve, is baseless.—(Sacramento Record-Union.)

In the Los Angeles case the second jury did better than the first, and convicted. The three-fourths rule, however, would be an improvement upon the majority rule.

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MESSRS. CHARLES L. WEBSTER & Co., publishers of Gen. Grant's famous book, who have lately opened a branch house in Chicago, announce two important books in press: "Reminiscences of Gen. Winfield S. Hancock, by his wife," and "A Biography of Henry Ward Beecher."

THE regular Jeff Davis mossbacks of Texas are threatening to read out of the party all prohibition Democrats in the State. It will be a feather in the cap of prohibitionists if they succeed. To be read out of the Democratic party of Texas will be a distinguished honor.

JOHN P. ST. JOHN's prediction that the prohibition vote next year will be 1,000,000 shows what an admirable directory man he would make for ambitious cities. He would also make a first-rate man to have charge of the circulation of a metropolitan paper.

MEN OF THE STATE.

G. F. Morgan, of Alaska, is at the Grand Hotel, San Francisco.

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By Telegram to The Times.

BUTTE (Mont.), Aug. 21.—[By the Associated Press.] United States Senator Hearst, of California, said today in an interview: "I do not think silver will go higher than it is at present; indeed, we are well satisfied if it remains where it is. The trouble is over-production and want of legislation fixing the standard. Copper is as low as it will get."

In answer to a question about the talked-of contest of the election of Senator from California, Mr. Hearst said he did not fear the result of the contest, as he was confident that his election was straightforward and honest. He does not consider any contest likely to be made.

A CRIME CONFESSED.

A Washington Territory Murderer Tells His Story.

PORTLAND, Aug. 21.—[By the Associated Press.] A dispatch from Spokane Falls says: The Coroner's jury in the case of John Thorndyke, found brutally murdered in his corral, brought in a verdict that he came to his death at the hands of Joseph Ward, who, with premeditation, committed a brutal murder. Ward has since made a confession, which is substantially as follows: He arose early in the morning and took his gun out for the purpose of shooting a coyote. He saw Thorndyke at his place milking, and had some talk, in which he called Thorndyke a foul name, and the latter did not hurt him. He then went to his gun, describing this part of the meeting Ward said:

"I pointed my gun at him, and he held up a bucket to guard his head and I got a small piece of the back of his head. I then struck him with a club, but the club broke and I then went and got another one for the purpose of finishing the job, but could not find one. I saw a hammer and with that I finished him."

The old man told the story without any sign of regret, and made no other excuse for his crime. Ward was examined before the jury, and was found guilty of the crime without bail to await the action of the grand jury.

SAFE AT ESENADA.

More About the Movements of the Fugitive Pritchard.

SAN DIEGO, Aug. 21.—[By the Associated Press.] Ward has not been heard from by B. F. Pritchard, the six-foot-six schemer, who so neatly swindled northern county ranchers and evaded a detective last week. A gentleman who arrived from Ensenada on yesterday morning's steamer reports that the form of the fugitive is a conspicuous one in the little town across the line. He has lost most of his cash, and assurance, and feels safe in the land of the Montezumas. Two officers are in this city waiting for him, and since learning that he is in Mexico other warrants, charging him with various crimes, have been issued. Under these warrants Pritchard will be arrested, and the papers are being prepared by Pritchard will be shadowed, an officer having been sent down on last evening's steamer.

WITH A BEER GLASS.

A Santa Rosa Boniface Battered by an Excursionist.

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FIRE at Gungerville. The town of Gungerville, four miles northwest of here, was visited by fire this morning. The store and warehouse of Schwartz & Nathan, Rogers' saloon and dwelling, and Mrs. Hoff's residence were all consumed. The fire was started by a man who was smoking in the saloon, and was fanned by a brisk wind, soon destroyed the adjoining buildings. The cause of the fire is unknown. Losses: Schwartz & Nathan, \$5,000; Rogers, \$1,000; Hoff, \$1,000; insurance \$400.

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RIVAL RAILWAYS.

The Trouble in Manitoba Becoming Very Serious.

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—A special from Winnipeg says: The contractors for the Red River Valley road put the force of men yesterday and rushed the grade through the land disputed by the Canadian Pacific. In spite of the injunction. There is great rejoicing in Winnipeg.

SERIOUS TROUBLE THREATENED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—A Chicago special to the Examiner says: "Yes, there may be trouble, even to the extent of a conflict with arms," said Mr. Norquist, the giant Scotch-Cree half-breed Prime Minister of Manchester today. The Premier has been in the city since Thursday, and left for Toronto, from where he expects to be he will proceed at once to Winnipeg, should the signs of a conflict be seen. Mr. Norquist has been in St. Paul and Chicago for the purpose of raising a temporary loan of \$100,000 to aid in the construction of the new road, and not to escape the service of the injunction warrant, as was stated in a Winnipeg dispatch. He has been in the city since Thursday, and left for Toronto, from where he expects to be he will proceed at once to Winnipeg, should the signs of a conflict be seen.

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The head was completely severed from the body. The head itself was mashed into a shapeless mass—portions of the latter being scattered for a hundred feet along the track.

He had evidently crawled under the car and gone to sleep. The car had been standing some time. The man had been wearing clothes on, but no further description can be given owing to the mangled condition of the remains.

In the Old Place.

From recent developments in Chinatown, it seems that the Celestials are determined to retaliate for the recent incendiarism. A number of them have leased one of the most eligible sites in the row of buildings recently destroyed by fire, and propose the erection of a substantial brick building of about 80 feet front and 50 feet depth. The building, valued at \$8000, will be two stories in height and will be occupied by the leading merchants of Chinatown. The site belongs to an ancient Castilian, and the consideration paid for the same is \$200 a month for ten years.

Narrow Escape from Drowning. Yesterday afternoon, at the foot of Zier Lane, on the line of the electric road, little Wilda, a little four-year-old girl, while playing on the edge of the canal, missed her footing and fell into the stream. Luckily a lady passing at the time saw the accident and rescued the little girl, almost before her clothes were wet through, otherwise a duplicate of Saturday's sad accident might have been the result.

Troops for Colorado. To strengthen the garrison of Ft. Lewis, Colorado, a troop of cavalry has been drawn from Gen. Miles' command. The General ordered Troop E, 8th Cavalry, yesterday to march from Ft. Union, New Mexico, and take temporary station at Ft. Lewis. The troop is commanded by Capt. Adam Krametz, and consists of 100 men, including lieutenants, Wilcox and Cruse, with him.

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THE LOS ANGELES COUNTY FIND AND ITS VALUE.

Petroleum and Natural Gas—The Connection Between Them and Coal Veins—Prospective Production—A Hopeful View.

[Chronicle.] It is stated very positively that a fine vein of coal has been discovered in the Santa Ana cañon, about eight miles from Santa Ana. A recent visitor says that the vein crops out for nearly a mile in length and fully three feet wide throughout its entire length.

Specimens of bituminous coal have also been received at Los Angeles from the Tin Mine cañon, four miles from Santa Ana. This latter coal is almost pure carbon, burns freely and leaves a clean ash. At a depth of ten feet the vein is three feet wide.

It is the intention of parties owning both these prospects to develop them at once, and while it is too soon to say what their value may ultimately be, it is certain that the chances of success are very flattering.

There seems to be this feature about California, that whenever any natural product is imperatively demanded, careful and patient search discovers it. Nothing could be of greater value to Southern California than deposits of coal, and as soon as the growth of the country increases the demand for coal enough to warrant thorough prospecting, coal is found. Next in order, we presume, will be natural gas; and as soon as the manufacturing of Los Angeles becomes of sufficient magnitude to need natural gas, somebody will put down a well and there will be the gas.

Petroleum has already been found in a number of places, and in large enough quantities to be of great value. The figures were given in some time since, and it is probable that the petroleum production of Southern California will become one of the most important sources of wealth of that portion of the State.

It is apparent that there is some connection of some kind between coal and petroleum, although the exact degree of relationship has never been determined. Petroleum is found, for the most part in coal countries, and the converse is equally true. While it would not be entirely safe to infer the finding of coal from the discovery of petroleum, or to dig for an oil well because coal has been discovered, still the finding of either gives a probability of the discovery of the other. Coal and oil wells and natural gas wells form a group having close affinities.

It is to be hoped that these coal discoveries may turn out genuine and valuable. There are many places where little shafts have been sunk or tunnels run in the hope of finding coal where no coal could geologically exist; but such waste of time and money is chargeable to the ignorance of prospectors, who fancy that every black stone is a lump of coal and who have the knowledge of the conditions under which coal mines should be sought. There are definite geological rules relating to coal formation, and without them coal does not exist. Even a little knowledge of geology is better than none in seeking for coal, and it may be presumed that the outcrop found in Los Angeles is in what miners call a coal country. The discoveries alluded to bid fair to be of great value.

ANAHEIM'S HOTEL.

All the Arrangements for Its Erection at Last Completed.

[Anaheim Gazette.] The earnest attempt to erect a hotel in Anaheim by a public joint stock company having proved abortive, because of the irreconcilable conflict of interest which the project brought to the surface, a number of gentlemen determined to step into the breach and supply the long-felt want. These gentlemen are Theo. Reiser, Henry Kroeger, Richard Melrose, and John H. Bullard, A. Goldthwaite, Dr. J. H. Bullard, R. Luedke, all of Anaheim, and A. N. Hamilton and F. B. Fanning, of Los Angeles. They have purchased the property of Mr. Luedke, on Center and Olive streets, adjoining the new depot grounds, and comprising eight acres of land, which includes the magnificent grounds and residence. The hotel will be built on Olive street, about 300 feet south of Center, in order to have the garden form a part of the hotel grounds. The hotel will cost \$40,000 or \$50,000, and, taken in connection with the esthetic improvements mentioned, will be the prettiest and most elegant hotel in Southern California. No time will be wasted in its erection, and it is expected that the work of construction will begin within two weeks. The plans of the company include the laying out of that part of the tract not required for hotel purposes into lots, and laying down a cement sidewalk twelve feet in width from the depot grounds along Center and Olive streets to Broadway.

Articles of incorporation of the Anaheim Improvement Company were filed on Tuesday. Its objects are "to buy, sell, mortgage, lease or otherwise acquire, incur and dispose of real estate and water-rights or stock in water companies; to improve real estate for use or sale, and to develop water and improve water rights; to buy, build, lease, rent and sell houses, hotels and other buildings; to operate hotels, to borrow or lend money in connection with said business, and generally to do and perform all such acts as may be necessary or desirable in the furtherance of said objects or of any of them." The capital stock is \$300,000, divided into 2000 shares of the value of \$100 each. The following gentlemen have subscribed for 200 shares each: Theo. Reiser, Henry Kroeger, Richard Melrose, Sheldon Littlefield, Dr. J. H. Bullard, A. Goldthwaite, Hamilton & Fanning and R. Luedke. The first seven named have been appointed directors. This is a "water corporation," and none of the stock is on the market.

A Thrilling Ride.

[Marysville Democrat.] As the Downville stage was going down the Mountain House grade several days ago, the eight passengers on board had an experience long to be remembered. The reins slipped from the horses were scorched at the Comptonville fire, but were considered safe.

In going down the steep grade, which is six miles long, the rein to one of the horses broke. The driver, Walter Finchley, became excited and made a grab for the lines. This started the horses on a dead run down the grade, and the driver having lost control of the animals, knew that something must be done very quickly. He glanced down the road some distance and saw John Yore and family, of Downville, coming up the hill in a light wagon. At his critical moment Finchley whipped at his revolver and was just in the act of shooting down one of the "wheelers," when he spied a stump on the side of the road just ahead. Holding his pistol ready for use in case of necessity, he turned the "leaders" in a direct line with the stump. The head horses

plunged over the stump, but one of the rear horses ran square into it, tearing his breast open, but bringing the outfit to a standstill, and throwing the driver to the ground. Fortunately but little damage was done.

Not Quite Drunk Enough for That.

[London Paper.]

"The two hundred and fifty guests entertained at Spanish recently on the new man-of-war, Victoria, included upwards of a dozen Ministers and ex-Ministers, impartially selected from both, or, rather, we should say from the three parties—Liberals, Conservatives, and Dissenters. While the Queen was receiving the naval captains a little steamboat crammed with "cheap trippers" passed across the bows of the Victoria, and the passengers gave three cheers for Lord Hartington and Lord Randolph Churchill, who were known to be on board the P. and O. vessel. The two Lords being at missed this demonstration, and were apparently unacquainted with what happened until some time afterward, when they ran against Mr. Chamberlain. "You two men," said the right honorable gentleman, "have just been cheered by some people in a steamboat, but they were all drunk!" "O, were they," dryly replied the Marquis of Hartington, "but it seems that they were not drunk enough to cheer you!"

Important to Purchasers of Lots in the Sells Tract.

The sale will commence on Monday next, August 22d. The delay in placing these lots on the market has been caused by the building of the levee and the laying of cement walks through the tract, which it was desired to have done before any sales were made. The levee is to be of the most substantial character and all the improvements first-class. Since the tract has been advertised there has been an unprecedented demand for lots within its limits, owing to its proximity to both railroad depots and accessibility from the business center. Its fine surroundings are also in its favor, and it is predicted that the lots will all be sold in the shortest time on record. Russell, Cox & Co., 132 West First street.

Notice to Architects. Designs in competition for a Public Library building, to be erected in stone or pressed brick, with terra cotta enrichments, at a cost of \$25,000, exclusive of inside finish, at Alhambra, Cal., will be received at the office of the building, Alhambra, Cal., until October 1st, next ensuing, by the committee on plans. Particulars can be obtained at any time by personal inquiry or letter from CHAS. W. SHELLEY, For Committee on Wilson Library, Alhambra, Cal., August 20, 1887.

Go and See the Colony Lands!

Prospective purchasers of land and town lots in the Cooperative Colony tract, desiring to visit the land, should take the 9:40 a. m. train from Los Angeles to Compton. At Compton they will be met by the colony's carriage, and conveyed to and over the tract, free of charge. Returning to the city, they will ride back to Compton in time for the incoming train. Call at the colony office before starting, and procure tickets for the carriage ride. Rooms 3 and 4, Newell block, West Second street.

How to Tell a Bargain.

Whenever you can buy lots for less than you can buy acre property by the side of the lots, then you get a bargain. I can sell you lots in the Hafen tract, on Central avenue, and prove this to be a fact. Remember this is an extra fine tract and the owners are sparing no pains to make it as fine as Figueroa street. Still we offer lots for \$750, near the heart of the city. Do not fail to call and see about it. Arthur G. Newton, 118 W. First street.

A Chance for Everybody.

In acre property at Florence, with plenty of water. With improvements, with prices \$1000 per acre adjoining. Call Saturdays at 1 p. m. and see it. Divided into five and ten-acre places. Sold for one-fourth cash, one-fourth six months and balance in a year. This land can be had for \$450 per acre upwards. Three miles from Los Angeles city limits. You can double your money. Yours respectfully, Chas. Victor Hall.

Sunset commands a magnificent view of the ocean, San Pedro and Catalina Island in the distance, with long lines of white breakers from Long Beach to Santa Monica. Every lot is so situated that a fine view is had of the mountains and ocean. Sale of lots Monday morning, August 15th. Room 16, over Los Angeles National Bank, upstairs. E. E. Hall, Secretary.

One of the best investments of the season is stock in the Lankershim ranch, which stock can be surrendered at any time after payments are completed, and receive choice value in lieu of the same, at the approved value of a committee of stockholders. See ad, or call on Hyman & Polndexter, No. 27 West First street, or Burch & Beal, 136 West First street.

Ross, Atwater & Co., 10 South Fort street, will give you a bargain at any time, in lots, improved property or acres. Bargains in Pasadena and C. C. C. lands. Call and see us.

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ACTORS IN THE SURF.

How Theatrical Stars Act in the Surges of Masconomo.

The stars above to bathe and loud are the outcries in the bath-houses of Masconomo. The bath-houses are close together, and the feminine chorus is mixed but clearly audible. "For heaven's sake do shut that door!" "Clinton, dear, please hand over my garters." "I can't put on this bathing-suit, it's wet. O-o, it's enough to freeze a red pepper!" "Who's been here since I was here?" "George, do help little Osmond with his suit, he's strangling." "Billy Crane, that's my suit." This from John Schoeffel. "It fits me and I am satisfied." This from Billy Crane. "Has anybody got a pin?" "Try a ten-penny one." "Use Spaulding's glue. These are a multitude more from the professional bathing party which attacks the yellow beach at 12:30.

The door of one of the vertical dry goods boxes opens and Miss Coghlan appears. White and blue are her colors, white about the shoulders and blue elsewhere. Rosalind without the boots is she, and a very symmetrical Rosalind. Celia, Minnie Conway comes out in gray and red, like a pond lily blossoming from a blue sky. Blue-kerchiefed about the head, and leads her little brown-eyed, brown-skinned cupid of a boy like a candy love-god on a wedding cake. Cupid wears tiny trunks, however, in stripes of red and white. Lillian Conway in black. Tealrie's seven-league stride is hindered only by a blue jersey and knee-breeches to match. Mr. Crane is in gorgeous azure. He taps himself admiringly on his ample front, and declares it is not theatrical, a statement which nobody doubts. John Schoeffel is in stripes, having been robbed of his ordinary wear. Walter Williams is in yellow gray, and Mr. Edgerly in orange and black, and the men gather around Mr. Edgerly in sarcastic envy, and pretend to wonder how one man can be so beautiful and live. Charles Abbott, in gray, accuses him of Recamier cream, whereupon Mr. Edgerly establishes a relation between moral obliquity and a bald head, with direct reference to the accuser, but is interrupted by Mr. Tealrie, who presents him with a large bouquet of wet sea weed in the back of his neck.

The door of the fat, red bath house opens and Mrs. Booth appears escorting the pretty niece—Miss Walters and Miss Hosmer. Mrs. Booth wears Audrey's hat and a dark suit. Miss Walters is in blue and Miss Hosmer in black and red. Then the whole party walk across the singing sands—the sands of Masconomo sing all the popular airs—and sit down, a pretty bouquet on the sands, around Mrs. James Lewis, who will not go in, James being in California. All the spectators on the beach came up to watch the celebrities. Mr. Crane is appointed a committee of three to report on the water. He dallies with a baby-breaker and comes back with a baby-breaker and shivers. His hand is on his jaw. "I have an exposed nerve," he says. "You have more exposed nerve than any man in the profession," ventures Mr. Tealrie. John Gilbert looks through blue glasses and hawks. Mr. Crane glares, but is soothed by a bucket of water in Mr. Schoeffel's hands, whereupon he covers the face of Mr. Williams, who is sleeping softly, with wet sand, and Tealrie's rage is clearly visible through his muddy features as he indignantly seeks the sea.

Miss Coghlan takes the breakers like a veteran. So does Mrs. Booth. Miss Conway leads the company in family fight the surf. Schoeffel and Tealrie are out for a race to the raft. Mr. Crane is filling Miss Hosmer's ear with dulcet taffy and her lungs with salt water as he lets her under. Miss Walters floats admirably till Mr. Abbott forgets her, and she sinks slowly into the deep, deep blue, to rise, like Aphrodite, full of sea water and indignation. It is a very merry party. Crane bets Edgerly \$10 he can stay under water longer. Edgerly accepts and sinks like a bomb under. Mr. Crane rises serenely a mob later. Mr. Edgerly stays—stays till his lungs adhere and his ears are bursting; rises and blows like a sperm-whale long held under by an affectionate octopus and void of air. Mr. Crane smiles bland and innocent. "I wasn't quite ready," says he. "Now, then." But Mr. Edgerly has had enough for the present and takes Rose Coghlan Edgerly for an outward voyage.

Mrs. Booth rises on her husband's shoulders and dives. Her small feet twinkle on top of the water for a moment, and Mr. Crane begs one for a scarf-pin, and would seize it, but is withheld. Thereupon he swims for Cohasset, across the bay, but stops at the raft, and sitting there like a sunburnt Lorelei comes the sand out of his hair with a sunburnt comb, consisting of his fingers. He is wooed in by faint promises and invited to drive to Cohasset. "Is it chewing or smoking?" he asks, and is promptly drowned. It is a pleasant place to be drowned, the surf of Masconomo. The waters are crystal clear, the beach of white sand shelves sharply, and the view is an artist's shore from end to end.

BULL-FROGS FOR FOOD.

How They Are Caught in the Marshes In and About Chicago.

A rare and dainty dish is that of the batrachian reptile commonly known as the bull-frog. The paths of his voice comes up from the marshes with a varied intensity of sound. He is nature's deceptive ventriloquist—for he can throw his voice at will. Aristophanes signified him long ago by his comedy of "Frogs" in the chorus of which he is made to sing croak-coak, koak, koak! To Galvani and Volta the sensibility of his muscles to galvanic currents served in the most important discoveries of electricity and galvanism.

To Faraday it indicated the greatest results in the physiology of the nervous system; and today it brought out the finest solutions in the chemical constitution of bodies—but more than that, he has become an almost universal favorite of food, and is sought for by the eater of the most luxurious tastes. Therefore he makes night hideous by his doleful voice from the saloon "frogger's," and his plaintive black eyes blink at you from every restaurant pond, a cruel exposure of the love so much the retreats of solitude. He is found mostly in stagnant and sluggish waters, but also in creeks. The inland dams are full of them. After he has thoroughly awakened and fattened out of his winter torpor, the fisherman finds him good game from June to the last of July.

The simplest method to secure him is to use a common jig light and the bare hand. A frog is attracted and charmed by light. He will swim to land toward a torch. At night he rests on the tangled edges of the water about a foot within, but always with head toward his destination. You must not reach for him from the rear, but always catch him by the head. This sport can be continued up to 5 o'clock, but after midnight his dolorous cries

have ceased. You must then find him by accident.

The red flannel catch is adopted to-day as well as night sport. Anything red pleases the frog's fancy. Three hooks adjusted to a line, half hid by the flannel, and slowly let down within near reach of the frog, will induce him to leap for the object, and a simultaneous jerk of the rod will catch the game. A more scientific arrangement is to take four hooks of two-foot lines, arrange them around a cork with a string, bring the four strings together into a knot above and affix to rod. A clover head plucked from the field and stragg to the cork and then let down to the view of the game will make a sure catch every time. A fisherman will let it good luck when he can blow out his light over a bag of 150 frogs, and he will say of some that they are large when they measure eighteen inches.

A HOUSE HAUNTED BY FIRE.

Furniture and Other Articles Suddenly Burst Into Flames.

The house of Reginald C. Hoyt, in Woodstock, N. B., seems to be haunted by fire. A dispatch from that place says: "From Friday noon until last evening forty fires broke out in various parts of the house, and bedding, furniture, window shades, clothing and various household articles were partly destroyed. By untiring vigilance only has the house been saved from destruction. The family is badly frightened, and has already left the house to its fate, and neighbors are assisting Mr. Hoyt in watching the place. These fires can be traced to no human agency. With no lamps lighted or stoves in use various articles would burst into flames. Now it would be a curtain, high up out of reach; then a bed quilt in another room would begin to smoke and smoulder, and, as though to further nonpluss the theorist, the jute stuffing of a carpet-covered lounge would be all afire. Once a basket of clothes in the shed suddenly burst into flames, and the basket itself was partly consumed. A child's dress, hanging on a hook, a feather bed, a straw mattress—no two articles in the same room were at another time ignited, and would have been consumed but for water copiously poured on them. Scores of persons have visited the house, but none have been able to explain the mystery. Mr. James Valls, editor of the Carleton Sentinel, the leading newspaper in the town, went to the house to investigate, and while he was standing in the parlor talking with Mrs. Hoyt, he was astonished to see a white cotton window curtain burst into flames at a point near the ceiling, and when no one else was present. He rushed to the spot, climbed a chair, and with his hands, which were somewhat burned, extinguished the fire, only to see it break out anew at a point far removed from the original blaze. He came away puzzled and completely nonplussed."

Chinese Nobility.

Temple Bar.

One word about the age of the Chinese Empire. I am not going to bore my readers with any historical discussion, but I may just remark that not far from Chefoo, a port in the north of China, there is at this moment living a gentleman who can most indisputably trace back his ancestry to 549 years before Christ. He is the surviving lineal descendant of Confucius, and, as such, enjoys the only hereditary dukedom outside of the royal family in the Empire. Without inquiring further as to Chinese antiquity, it must I think be admitted that a country which boasts of a duke whose family goes back for 2429 years (and Confucius himself came of a good old family, beginning, I suppose, about the time of Noah) cannot exactly be looked upon as an upstart. The nobleman's family cannot show a direct male descent of 800 years; though Welchen, I believe, preserve pedigrees from Adam.

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Los Angeles.....July 31.....Aug. 1.....Aug. 2.....Aug. 3

Queen of the Pacific.....Aug. 1.....Aug. 2.....Aug. 3.....Aug. 4

Santa Rosa.....Aug. 2.....Aug. 3.....Aug. 4.....Aug. 5

Queen of the Pacific.....Aug. 3.....Aug. 4.....Aug. 5.....Aug. 6

Santa Rosa.....Aug. 4.....Aug. 5.....Aug. 6.....Aug. 7

Queen of the Pacific.....Aug. 5.....Aug. 6.....Aug. 7.....Aug. 8

Santa Rosa.....Aug. 6.....Aug. 7.....Aug. 8.....Aug. 9

Queen of the Pacific.....Aug. 7.....Aug. 8.....Aug. 9.....Aug. 10

Santa Rosa.....Aug. 8.....Aug. 9.....Aug. 10.....Aug. 11

Queen of the Pacific.....Aug. 9.....Aug. 10.....Aug. 11.....Aug. 12

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Real Estate

PRICES	
100	Choice new 5-room cottages; bath, pantries, closets, etc.; beautiful lawn, flowers, cement walks, stable, etc.; in center of East Los Angeles, near car-line
200	Two-story house, 10 rooms, bath, pantries, closets, electric-bells, grates, hot and cold water, on Hope st., near Sixth; \$6,000
400	House and lot, corner Temple and Broadway; 10 rooms, bath, pantries, closets, etc.; 11 rooms; bath, pantries, etc.; lawn, flowers, stable, etc.; lot \$1,000
600	House and lot on Downey ave., corner 2nd line; 10 rooms, bath, pantries, 9 rooms, all modern conveniences; new and brightly; lot \$1,000
800	House and lot on Kluge st., near Main; 8 rooms, bath, pantry, closets, etc.; beautiful lawn, flowers, etc.; lot \$1,000
1,000	Two-story house, 10 rooms, bath, pantries, etc.; covered with beautiful trees; lot \$1,000
1,200	Two-story house, 10 rooms, bath, pantries, etc.; covered with beautiful trees; lot \$1,000
1,400	Two-story house, 10 rooms, bath, pantries, etc.; covered with beautiful trees; lot \$1,000
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10,000	Two-story house, 10 rooms, bath, pantries, etc.; covered with beautiful trees; lot \$1,000

100	House and lot on Flower st., near	
100	Eight st.; 8 rooms; new and nice;	
100	flowers, stone walk, etc.; 5x12 to	
100	every one wants.	\$8.00
100	ALL YOU WANT A LOT BY THE SEA	
100	SANTA MONICA.	
100	Lot 34, block A, Wave Crest.	65
100	Lot 35, block A, Wave Crest.	75
100	Lot 32, block A, Wave Crest.	85
100	Lot 42, Central addition, on Sixth st.	
100	6x10.	70
100	Lot 1, Second.	2,500
100	House of 8 rooms, cor. Second and	
100	Nevada ave., new and modern.	9,000
100	LONG BEACH.	
100	2 beautiful lots on American ave., be-	
100	tween First and Second st., each.	40
100	Lot 23, block 92, near cer.	49
100	ACRES.	
100	READ AND INVESTIGATE.	
100	Alameda st. and Broadway	

900	Port at Alameda Railroad Road and Pacific railroad, just north of city; all under cultivation; house, 6 rooms, well, windmill, etc., per acre.....	40
175	26 acres near Verdugo postoffice; $\frac{2}{3}$ shares of water to the acre; per acre,	50
	40 acres at San Dimas with good water right; per acre.....	18
	36 acres corner Vermont avenue and	

Eighty acres; a splendid buy for subdivision; per acre..... 1.50
23 acres at Pasadena, near business center; avenues on three sides; millions in it to subdivide; per acre..... 1.50

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YORK ST.—Four lots, \$6400 for the four

House and lot, 60 feet front, \$3000.
2 fine lots, \$1900 each; easy terms.
EUBANK—Lot 12—Myrtle avenue, facing
Los Angeles; \$350; and other bargains in
different parts of the town.
MONROVIA—Lot on Myrtle avenue in Keefe-
town tract, \$1560; also other lots from \$450 to \$6000.
ACRE PROPERTY.
EIGHTY ACRES only ½ mile west of town of
Compton, finest mesa land; house 10 rooms;
fine shade, fruit trees; abundance of
running water; 12 miles from
Los Angeles, and is bound, with its im-
provements and railroad facilities, to be worth

\$500 per acre in less than a year. Price only \$200 per acre in tracts of ten acres and upward.

HOUSES.

NINTH ST.—House and lot, just beyond Pearl, \$6750.

TEN-ROOM HOUSE, on Temple st., elegantly finished, all modern improvements, \$3000.

FOUR-ROOM HOUSE on Grand ave, \$4000.

NEW 5-ROOM HOUSE, on 11th st., in Childs tract, \$3000; and one 3-room house, adjoining, at \$4000. Terms, one-third cash, balance in 6, 12 and 18 months.

GRAND AVE.—2-room house between Sixth and Seventh Sts. \$750.
HILL ST.—Two 6-room houses on lot 60x165, between 8th and 10th sts., \$12,500 for the two.
FOUR-ROOM HOUSE, Electric Homestead tract, cheap.
BARGAINS IN BUSINESS PROPERTY.
LOS ANGELES ST.—56x120, northwest corner Second st., \$39,200; \$20,000 cash; balance one and two years.
NEW YORK ST.—16x150, between Franklin and Temple. This is gilt-edge
FIRST ST.—53 feet; rent pays 10 per cent net on price asked.

TEMPLE ST.—Store and ten rooms near Pearl
street, \$5000.

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Opposite Times Building

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w price, on account of being crowded
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LUCERNE, Aug. 18.—[Correspondence of the THE TIMES.] In riding from

nicked or serrated in a curious manner. This may have been an ornament, and at the same time been used as a knife to cut cords and strings of various kinds, by putting it over the sharp edges. Such an implement is figured in the report of the geographical survey west of the 100 meridian, but no explanation offered as to its probable use. Another ornament found here was a disk of slate, not perforated, showing plainly the fine works of the instrument, probably a flint knife that had been used in shaping it. These In-

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The property known as the

situated in Anaheim, consisting of two original town-lots, 280 feet on Broadway by 180 feet deep. Improvements—One 2-story building, 40x70 with approximate complete fix-

BAKER BLOCK, ON SATURDAY, 20TH
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to divide and distribute the lots subscribed
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gust 1st. The house is to be thoroughly
renovated and refitted, after which it will be
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THE BURTON WATER COMPANY
IS AN ASSOCIATION OF PROPERTY-OWNERS IN THE MOJAVE VALLEY for the purpose of developing artesian water and piping it upon the land. There are 25,000 shares of a par value of \$10. At present a block of 10,000 shares is on the market at \$2 per share. Land owners in this valley should take advantage of this opportunity to provide themselves with a first-class water supply. The company owns lands upon which the water can be developed, and machinery for boring and piping has already been ordered. Stock is sale at the office of the company, 444 South Spring street. Business hours from 12:30 to 2 p. m.
LEOPOLD CORBIN, Secretary.

GENERAL INFORMATION ABOUT THE TRIP.

Department Commander Salomon issues a Circular Full of Valuable Points for Those Who Intend to Go There.

The following circular has been received:
HONORABLE DEPT. OF CALIFORNIA,
GRAND ARMY OF THE REPUBLIC,
Asst. Adj't Gen.'s Office,
419 California St., Room 12,
San Francisco, Aug. 19, 1887.
Circular No. 2.

I. The Twenty-first National Encampment of the G.A.R. will meet at St. Louis, Mo., on Tuesday, September 27, 1887. The Fifth Annual Convention of the Woman's Relief Corps will meet at the same place and time.

II. Headquarters Department of California, G.A.R., and the National Headquarters of the W.R.C., and Department Headquarters W.R.C., will leave San Francisco Monday afternoon, September 19th, by the Atlantic and Pacific and Atchafalaya, to St. Louis, Mo., on Tuesday, September 20th, and proceeding with them to St. Louis.

III. The Southern California Bridge has tendered its services as escort to the Department Commander, from Barstow to St. Louis, and the same has been accepted.

IV. The following particulars regarding transportation furnished by the railroad companies, are given for the information of all concerned:

1. Excursion tickets will be placed on sale, good only for trains leaving San Francisco, Los Angeles and other points, on Monday, September 19, Tuesday, September 20, and Wednesday, September 21, 1887.

2. The round trip rate to St. Louis and return has been fixed by all roads at \$37.50. Pullman sleeper fare, San Francisco to St. Louis, will be \$10 per double berth. If a sufficient number of comrades of the G.A.R. or members of the W.R.C. desire, tourist sleeping cars will be provided at an extra charge (above price of ticket) of \$1 each only. This charge is for mattresses, pillows, towels, and other necessities.

These excursion tickets to be good (eastward) until September 30th, or (westward) until November 30, 1887.

Stop-over privileges to be allowed in both directions within above limits.

Purchasers to have privilege of selecting for the return trip any of the overland lines at the time of purchase—without extra charge.

Exchanges of return tickets by other (or opposite) routes will be made on payment of \$10 additional charges, at time of making the exchange at St. Louis.

Extension of sixty days' time (beyond the limit of November 30th) for return tickets can be secured on payment of an additional charge of \$20 at St. Louis.

For further information or sleeping-car reservations, apply to any of the agencies of the Atlantic and Pacific, Santa Fé, Southern Pacific Company and connecting lines.

3. It is probable that such comrades as desire to go further East than St. Louis may be able to secure excursion tickets for various Eastern cities at reduced rates. If secured, they will be duly announced.

4. G.A.R. excursion tickets can be procured at and will be good from the following points:

By the Atlantic and Pacific railroad and by the Central Pacific railroad: San Francisco, Lathrop, Marysville, Mojave, Oakland, Stockton, Fresno, Los Angeles, Riverside, San José, Sacramento, Tulare and Colton.

By the Atlantic and Pacific railroad only: San Diego, National City, San Bernardino, Flagstaff, Prescott and Prescott Junction.

By the Central Pacific only: Colfax, Elko, Reno, Palisade, Winnemucca and Battle Mountain.

5. With this order is enclosed an itinerary showing hours of departure and of reaching various points of the train which will be the Department Commander and staff.

V. The Department Commander cordially invites every comrade who intends to be present at the Twenty-first National Encampment to accompany him, and thus swell the numbers of the California delegation and make it an imposing feature of the grand assemblage of veterans at St. Louis in September next.

VI. It is absolutely necessary for the comfort and convenience of all that every comrade of the G.A.R. and every member of the W.R.C. who intends accompanying the Department Commander and National President, shall at once inform these headquarters, giving names, every individual of their party, and stating the number of berths required, in order that there may be no delay in providing the requisite number of Pullman cars.

Especially must early notice be given by such as desire the tourist sleeping accommodations, as these can be provided only in case a sufficient number to fill a car are registered.

It will be borne in mind that the rates named are not for comrades of the G.A.R. and members of the W.R.C., but are also open to their families and friends.

EXHIBITS.
VII. It being understood that arrangements for sending exhibits will be made by the various parts of the State to send to St. Louis exhibits of the productions of their several localities, a committee has been appointed to attend to the matter.

Parties desiring to send exhibits will at once place themselves in communication with Comrade Bouton, chairman of the above named committee, stating the nature of said exhibit, kind and quality of goods and amount, giving measurements of packages, and all possible information for the guidance of the committee in arranging for transportation.

VIII. In order to make pleasant breaks in the long journey, arrangements have been made for a grand ball in honor of the Department Commander, G.A.R., National President and Department President, W.R.C., and accompanying party, at the Phoenix Hotel, Las Vegas Hot Springs, New Mexico, on the evening of Thursday, September 22d. Also for a reception at Topeka, Kansas, tendered by Lincoln Post, G.A.R., and the Modoc Club of that city, on Saturday, September 24th.

EDW. S. SALOMON,
Department Commander.
Official: W. Taylor,
Asst. Adj't General.

Capt. A. W. Barrett requests that all those wanting to go should leave their names with him at his office, No. 6 Court street, so that sleepers can be arranged for, as the company wants twenty days' time to get the required number of cars.

Central Avenue.
Only a few of these splendid lots in the old Clapp Orchard, at \$250. To be positively advanced next Wednesday. Vernon Land Company, 14 South Main.

THE CHAPMAN LANDS IN PASADENA.
The reserve, to cost about \$10,000, on the Raymond Improvement Company tract, in front of the Raymond Hotel, is being constructed, and it is having the effect of creating a boom in the lands surrounding that hotel. The Raymond Improvement Company has its first subdivision ready, and they offer the cheapest lots in Pasadena for sale. The lots are selling very fast. Smith & Jacobs, who are the shrewdest speculators in Pasadena, purchased 115 lots in this tract at one time last week. They propose to build houses and mark up the lots to about double the company's present prices, and purchasers may look for a general marking up in a short time. Fair Oaks avenue is to be widened to an 80-foot street, and Smith & Jacobs intend to build a handsome business block. Four elegant cottages already contracted for. An electric road from Los Angeles to the tract is already under way, and the company has also agreed to give the right of way and a house to another road which will run from the Raymond Hotel, through their land, to Long Beach. Apply to Raymond Improvement Company, room 10, Los Angeles National Bank building, corner First and Spring streets.

A Great Bargain.
Charles Victor Hall is selling improved property with water about eight feet from the street, at about one-third of its value. For only \$500 per acre, one-quarter cash, one-quarter in six months, balance in a year. See him, 41 South Spring street. See him soon.

Mrs. Dr. Wells, Woman Specialist.
The first lady physician of Kentucky, many years of successful practice in prostrated, uterine, leucorrhea, ovarian diseases, irregular menstruation, radical change from the first treatment. No. 341 S. Spring st.

On account of the increased travel east, the Santa Fé route has arranged for extra Pullman sleeping cars direct from Los Angeles to Kansas City direct.

Sunset will have plenty of pure, cold, mountain water piped to every lot. Sale begins Monday morning, August 22, at 10 o'clock, over Los Angeles National Bank. E. R. Hall, Secretary.

If You Want
The best thing ever invented for all washing and ironing purposes call on your grocer for Fyfe's Pearline.

Highland Brand Condensed Milk.
This is absolutely pure milk; no sugar; no chemicals. For children it is unexcelled.

Two trains, ten cars each, leave at 9 a.m. for Santa Monica Wednesday, August 24; returning, leave on Saturday at 1 a.m.

Dots.
J. W. DAVIS, prescription druggist.
UNFURNISHED wine at J. W. Davis's.

Round trip, only 50 cents. All day at the beach, August 24th, Ocean Spray sale.

Dr. Reesner's Corn Ridder, a guaranteed cure for corns. Ellis & Co. sell it.

Legal.
Notice of Sale of Real Estate and Personal Property.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the county of Los Angeles, State of California, made on the 23rd day of August, A.D. 1887, in the matter of the estate of Michael Stack, deceased, the said Michael Stack, administrator of said estate, will sell at private sale to the highest bidder, for cash, in and to the county of Los Angeles, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on or after Monday, the 22nd day of August, 1887, at the law offices of Wells, Van Dyke & Lee, room 11 to 12, Baker block, Los Angeles, all the right, title and interest in and to the estate of the said Michael Stack at the time of his death, and all the right, title and interest that he had in and to the estate of the said Michael Stack, deceased, in and to all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situated and being in the city and county of Los Angeles, State of California, bounded and described as follows: Lot number 14 of a block number fourteen (14), East Los Angeles, according to a map of East Los Angeles made by P. Lecroix in December, 1876, with house and other improvements thereon.

Also, all the right, title and interest in and to the estate of the said Michael Stack, deceased, in and to all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situated and being in the city and county of Los Angeles, State of California, bounded and described as follows: Lot number 15 of a block number fourteen (14), East Los Angeles, according to a map of East Los Angeles made by P. Lecroix in December, 1876, with house and other improvements thereon.

Also, all the right, title and interest in and to the estate of the said Michael Stack, deceased, in and to all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situated and being in the city and county of Los Angeles, State of California, bounded and described as follows: Lot number 16 of a block number fourteen (14), East Los Angeles, according to a map of East Los Angeles made by P. Lecroix in December, 1876, with house and other improvements thereon.

Also, all the right, title and interest in and to the estate of the said Michael Stack, deceased, in and to all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situated and being in the city and county of Los Angeles, State of California, bounded and described as follows: Lot number 17 of a block number fourteen (14), East Los Angeles, according to a map of East Los Angeles made by P. Lecroix in December, 1876, with house and other improvements thereon.

Also, all the right, title and interest in and to the estate of the said Michael Stack, deceased, in and to all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situated and being in the city and county of Los Angeles, State of California, bounded and described as follows: Lot number 18 of a block number fourteen (14), East Los Angeles, according to a map of East Los Angeles made by P. Lecroix in December, 1876, with house and other improvements thereon.

Also, all the right, title and interest in and to the estate of the said Michael Stack, deceased, in and to all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situated and being in the city and county of Los Angeles, State of California, bounded and described as follows: Lot number 19 of a block number fourteen (14), East Los Angeles, according to a map of East Los Angeles made by P. Lecroix in December, 1876, with house and other improvements thereon.

Also, all the right, title and interest in and to the estate of the said Michael Stack, deceased, in and to all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situated and being in the city and county of Los Angeles, State of California, bounded and described as follows: Lot number 20 of a block number fourteen (14), East Los Angeles, according to a map of East Los Angeles made by P. Lecroix in December, 1876, with house and other improvements thereon.

Also, all the right, title and interest in and to the estate of the said Michael Stack, deceased, in and to all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situated and being in the city and county of Los Angeles, State of California, bounded and described as follows: Lot number 21 of a block number fourteen (14), East Los Angeles, according to a map of East Los Angeles made by P. Lecroix in December, 1876, with house and other improvements thereon.

Also, all the right, title and interest in and to the estate of the said Michael Stack, deceased, in and to all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situated and being in the city and county of Los Angeles, State of California, bounded and described as follows: Lot number 22 of a block number fourteen (14), East Los Angeles, according to a map of East Los Angeles made by P. Lecroix in December, 1876, with house and other improvements thereon.

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THE CHAPMAN LANDS IN PASADENA.
The reserve, to cost about \$10,000, on the Raymond Improvement Company tract, in front of the Raymond Hotel, is being constructed, and it is having the effect of creating a boom in the lands surrounding that hotel. The Raymond Improvement Company has its first subdivision ready, and they offer the cheapest lots in Pasadena for sale. The lots are selling very fast. Smith & Jacobs, who are the shrewdest speculators in Pasadena, purchased 115 lots in this tract at one time last week. They propose to build houses and mark up the lots to about double the company's present prices, and purchasers may look for a general marking up in a short time. Fair Oaks avenue is to be widened to an 80-foot street, and Smith & Jacobs intend to build a handsome business block. Four elegant cottages already contracted for. An electric road from Los Angeles to the tract is already under way, and the company has also agreed to give the right of way and a house to another road which will run from the Raymond Hotel, through their land, to Long Beach. Apply to Raymond Improvement Company, room 10, Los Angeles National Bank building, corner First and Spring streets.

A Great Bargain.
Charles Victor Hall is selling improved property with water about eight feet from the street, at about one-third of its value. For only \$500 per acre, one-quarter cash, one-quarter in six months, balance in a year. See him, 41 South Spring street. See him soon.

Mrs. Dr. Wells, Woman Specialist.
The first lady physician of Kentucky, many years of successful practice in prostrated, uterine, leucorrhea, ovarian diseases, irregular menstruation, radical change from the first treatment. No. 341 S. Spring st.

On account of the increased travel east, the Santa Fé route has arranged for extra Pullman sleeping cars direct from Los Angeles to Kansas City direct.

Sunset will have plenty of pure, cold, mountain water piped to every lot. Sale begins Monday morning, August 22, at 10 o'clock, over Los Angeles National Bank. E. R. Hall, Secretary.

If You Want
The best thing ever invented for all washing and ironing purposes call on your grocer for Fyfe's Pearline.

Highland Brand Condensed Milk.
This is absolutely pure milk; no sugar; no chemicals. For children it is unexcelled.

Two trains, ten cars each, leave at 9 a.m. for Santa Monica Wednesday, August 24; returning, leave on Saturday at 1 a.m.

Dots.
J. W. DAVIS, prescription druggist.
UNFURNISHED wine at J. W. Davis's.

Round trip, only 50 cents. All day at the beach, August 24th, Ocean Spray sale.

Dr. Reesner's Corn Ridder, a guaranteed cure for corns. Ellis & Co. sell it.

Legal.
Notice of Sale of Real Estate and Personal Property.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that, in pursuance of an order of the Superior Court of the county of Los Angeles, State of California, made on the 23rd day of August, A.D. 1887, in the matter of the estate of Michael Stack, deceased, the said Michael Stack, administrator of said estate, will sell at private sale to the highest bidder, for cash, in and to the county of Los Angeles, and subject to confirmation by said Superior Court, on or after Monday, the 22nd day of August, 1887, at the law offices of Wells, Van Dyke & Lee, room 11 to 12, Baker block, Los Angeles, all the right, title and interest in and to the estate of the said Michael Stack at the time of his death, and all the right, title and interest that he had in and to the estate of the said Michael Stack, deceased, in and to all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land, situated and being in the city and county of Los Angeles, State of California, bounded and described as follows: Lot number 14 of a block number fourteen (14), East Los Angeles, according to a map of East Los Angeles made by P. Lecroix in December, 1876, with house and other improvements thereon.

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GRAND EXCURSION

Surrounded by Fifty Acres of Beautiful Grounds!
Hurry Up!!
Hurry Up!!

Subscription to the Capital Stock of the company which is to build this Magnificent Edifice will be opened on

Monday Morning, August 22d,
—AT—
Room 1, Law Building.

Subscription lists will be found, also, at most of the business houses in the city. No money paid until 30,000 shares are taken; then subscribers will elect directors to manage the enterprise. Far value of shares, \$10. These will be issued at \$5 each, but will be received by the company at \$1 each in payments on lots as soon as the lands can be subdivided. This gives an absolute guarantee that stockholders can double their money in from thirty to ninety days, if they choose to sell their stock. No such investment ever offered in Los Angeles before. You can double your money and at the same time aid in giving Los Angeles the most elegant hotel and grounds in Southern California.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION APPLY TO
J. H. BURKS

Fullerton, Aug. 20.—(Correspondence of THE TIMES.) At Fullerton, during the day, wagons are delivering building material for the homes under way; the carpenters are busy, the well-borers are at work on the hotel well, and the men at the new brickyard just north of town are doing all they can to supply the great and increasing demand for brick as soon as possible. Besides, visitors are coming and going, and lots are being sold and re-sold. The new hotel now being constructed in the center of attraction. The brick foundation is completed, and the carpenters are at work. It is in the center of a block containing about four acres. The view is grand, the ground gently sloping to the east, south and west, presenting a fine panorama of the surrounding country, as well as the ocean and Catalina Island, while over the foothills to the north Old Baldy stands boldly up.

The grading of the streets having been completed, the cement sidewalks will immediately be made. There are 150 barrels of cement on the grounds for that purpose. The main thoroughfare is Commonwealth avenue, 100 feet wide. This runs through the center of the town east and west, and has been graded a half-mile beyond the town limits east. It will shortly be opened and graded to the west about four miles to the Los Angeles road. Hows of trees will line both sides of the avenue from one end to the other.

The New Era, of Anaheim, gives this news item: "The full amount of capital for a bank at Fullerton has been subscribed, mostly from Los Angeles, with a few from North Anaheim and Anaheim, and drafts for a \$15,000 building are out."

Track-laying of the Riverside and San Diego railroad has been active for the past week between Yorba and Santa Ana. The whistle of the locomotive and the noise of the moving train, from beyond the Kraemer ranch, apparently bring the cars near the doors of the people of Placentia. But we look forward with greater interest to the time when the cars reach Fullerton from Los Angeles, and also to the time when the gap between Fullerton and Yorba is filled.

Mr. Bailey, the owner of the Shanklin ranch, has staked off the vineyard and orchard, about 140 acres, into a new town called Olanda.

It is reported here that three more new towns are to be laid off in North Anaheim, viz., one on the Hazard and Yarnell tract, one immediately below the Placentia schoolhouse, and one on the County road, just east of the Orangehorpe schoolhouse, by a Los Angeles syndicate. Truly the world do move.

Fairly Spoken. (San Bernardino Courier.)

We totally disavow incorrect, dis-courteous and ungenerous comparisons between San Bernardino and Los Angeles. Los Angeles county is one of the first, if not the first, in the State in progress, resources, public spirit and enterprise. Los Angeles city has no rival on this coast today in the qualities which operate to make a community prosperous and promising. She has shown not merely Southern California, but the whole State, the way to grow. Other cities, towns and sections are merely the imitators of the Queen City of the South. There are, of course, small-souled, sectional-hating miscreants and liars in Los Angeles, but just as we find them everywhere else. One swallow does not make a summer; nor do a few malicious, neighbor-hating scoundrels in the great city of the South in which all South Californians take such pride commit the people of Los Angeles to a policy of detraction and defamation of their sister cities. Los Angeles is the most prosperous and progressive city in the State today, and we trust that by the end of the century she will have caught up with her selfish rival of the North. If she does, San Bernardino will not be the loser. Nor will San Diego, nor Santa Barbara, nor any other city in the coming seat of California empire and greatness—South California.

That \$500,000 Hotel.

No other city ever had the offer of a half-million dollar hotel and a premium of \$300,000 for accepting it. The company now being organized to build the magnificent hotel at the western terminus of the Temple-street cable road extension will have, after reserving fifty acres for hotel grounds, 1500 lots, the profits on which will pay the entire cost of the hotel, and leave a handsome dividend to the stockholders, besides. Every man, woman and child in Los Angeles should have a share of stock in this great enterprise. The stockholders will elect their own directors, and all funds will be held by the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank till a treasurer is elected. Subscription books will be opened in a few days at the office of J. H. Burks, Room 1, Law building.

A Card.

Charles Victor Hall would like to take this opportunity of informing his friends and patrons that as he has purchased that superb central property on Central avenue and Washington streets known as the George Dalton, Sr., home place (and where Mr. Dalton, Sr., has resided for the last thirty years) and consisting of forty-eight acres; and that, as in the past, he wishes to give the same good value for the money, and all the best chance to get a fine home, he would, therefore, now say: Wait for this subdivision before you purchase. Easy terms will be given; and, above all, remember the price will be like all the tracts that he has handled—such as you cannot resist. As soon as possible the tract will be ready for buyers.

"Hansen."

One of the grandest sights is to stand on any one of the Sunset lots and see the sun set in old Pacific with golden splendor. Sale of Sunset lots begins Monday, August 15th. Room 10, over Los Angeles National Bank, upstairs. E. E. Hall, Secretary.

Situated on the line of the new Santa Monica steam motor foothill railroad, is twelve miles from Los Angeles and five miles from Santa Monica. Sale, Monday, August 15th, room 10, over Los Angeles National Bank. E. E. Hall, Secretary.

Fresno County at the Front.

Fresno is advertising a public meeting at Armory Hall, Tuesday evening, the 23rd inst., and an excursion from this city to Fresno and return at \$11 for the round trip, Thursday, August 25th.

The unprecedented rush for lots in the Wolfskill Orchard tract still continues at the office of the Los Angeles Land Bureau, No. 29 West First street. The sales for two days amount to over one million dollars.

The Barton Land and Water Company.

\$150 cash, and \$250 September 1st, will purchase ten shares of Barton Land and Water Company stock, worth \$1000. Apply to W. P. McIntosh, 122 N. Spring street.

Don't Fall to Leave

Your property with Ross, Atwater & Co., if you want quick returns. 10 South First Street.

Notary Public and Commissioner

For New York State and Arkansas Territory. G. A. Robinson, 42 North Spring street.

A Safe Speculation.

See "ad" of the great hotel company.

McCARTHY'S

Three lots on Adams st. and Howard ave. East corner. The lots on west side of Figueroa st., between Washington and Pine; lots 100x150, to an alley, on Adams st. East corner. Two lots in University addition. Seven beautiful lots on Angelino Heights, near Hall's mansion, cheap.

1500—Lot 50x150, on 10th st., dotted with orange and pear trees, choice grapes, nice hedge; just the place for a lovely home; \$2200 will buy it.

1500—Lot 50x200, to an alley; clean side; fronts on the beautiful Elendale Park; cement sidewalks.

Lot 50x150 on west side of Figueroa, near Pine st., covered with orange trees; only \$6750.

1500—Lot in Victor Heights.

1500—Lot 50x150 on Dorway ave., between Tenth and Eleventh; 300 feet of Pear; clean side, near in.

1500—Lot in City Center tract; clean side.

1500 will buy two lots in Sisters of Charity tract.

1500 will buy two lots, corner Temple and Figueroa st., worth \$7500, and well worth it.

1500 spot cash, for choice residence lot on Philadelphia, three blocks of postoffice.

1500—Corner lot on Eighth, just off of Main.

1500—Corner lot on Ninth at.

1500—Front lot—Choice business lot on Second.

414 acres near Ontario: \$100 per acre; \$500 per acre, three miles west of city; \$500 per acre.

50 acres on Main street, four miles from city; \$125 per acre; now, speculators, buy this.

20 acres in city limits, suitable for subdivision; \$1000 per acre; one-third cash.

15 acres, one-fourth of a mile from city limits; \$1000 per acre; improved homes in California, and only \$600 per acre; worth \$1000.

1500 for the finest 6-room house on Aliso ave., Boye Heights, overlooking the "City of Angels"; new and pretty.

1500 will buy a 4-room cottage in East Los Angeles; new and pretty.

1500—Nice 6-room house, Hill street; complete.

1500 will buy a 6-room cottage on York st.; 300 feet of Figueroa.

1500 for a 4-room cottage on York, near Figueroa.

MCCONNELL, RANDHOLT & MERWIN.
 Real Estate Agents, 230 North Main St.

MELROSE!

The Beautiful, To the Front!

GRAND IMPROVEMENTS!

A SUBURBAN TOWN OF MERIT!

The new foothill railroad to Santa Monica is built through Melrose and will be in full operation inside of sixty days. Water piped to every lot. Several fine residences to be built at once. The great improvements now in progress will double the value of all lots.

SEE IT! SEE IT!

BUY NOW! BUY NOW!

Lots from \$350 to \$450 for a few days only.

Carriages at any hour of the day from

MCCARTHY'S
 California Land Office,
 23 WEST FIRST STREET.

Acres at \$175. Acres at \$300.

BETTER THAN TOWN LOTS!

—THE VAST—

Centinela and Sausal Redondo Ranehes

Have been subdivided and are now on the market in any quantity from five acres upwards. This rich land is on the line of the

Santa Fe Railroad to Ballona Harbor

AND REDONDO BEACH.

And only ten miles from the Plaza in Los Angeles.

FOR TERMS AND PRICES CALL ON

CHILDS & SILENT,
 No. 8 S. Main St., Los Angeles.

Gilt Edge Property.

2 Lots on Temple street.....\$1500
 2 Room Cottage in Highland Addition.....2000
 Lot 48x150, on Ninth, near Pearl.....2500
 Corner lot, 61x200, corner Main and Jefferson.....2000
 5-room house on Temple, close in.....7000
 Lot 16x175 in Homestead tract.....2400
 Lot 50x150 in Childs tract, with \$3000 improvements.....3600
 20 acres on Vermont avenue, to subdivide, at a bargain.

Lot 48x150, on Eighth, between Hope and Flower.....3000
 2 lots, Waverly tract, each.....700
 100x150, Dunkleberger tract.....2500
 Large lot, corner Court and Olive; a bargain.....2000
 Lot 10x175, Homestead tract.....2400
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 6-room house, lot 50x150, on Lazard street.....3100
 Bargains in Lone Beach and East San Gabriel; also in ranch property.

Freeman, Davis & Co.,
 114 W. First Street, Nadeau Bldg.

FOR SALE.

20 feet wide side Spring, between Second and Third, on Alameda street, corner Second, \$70,000.

2 Lots De Cols tract, each \$2500.

2 Lots Sisters of Charity tract, each \$1500.

2 Lots Washington Garden tract, each \$1500.

Lots in Judson tract, \$1500 to \$2000.

Lots in Sanborn tract, \$850.

Lots in Carter Grove tract, \$900.

Lots in Los Angeles Improvement Company's tract, \$750 to \$1000.

Lots in Park tract, \$500 to \$800.

5-room house, Morris Vineyard tract, \$2750.

5-room house on Wall street, \$3000.

New 16-room house, Bonnie Brue tract, \$12,000.

Two 5-room houses on lot 50x150, all for \$4000.

5-room house, Howe tract, \$1575.

The above property is a very small portion of the bargains we have on our books. We have a large list of city and country property for sale on every block.

GILLMORE & WELLS,
 10 North Main street.

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STRUCK IT RICH.

A FIVE-FOOT VEIN OF COAL FOUND

In Tin Mine Canyon—A Big Thing for Southern California in General, and South Riverside in Particular.

[South Riverside Bee, Aug. 15th.]

The town was excited Saturday night over the news of a big find of coal in Tin Mine Canyon. Claude P. Perkins was up there in the afternoon and ran across the mine which has just been opened up by Montgomery and Beaulieu, who came upon the indications while prospecting for coal among the mountains. Mr. Perkins secured a sample and coming into town spread the news of the strike. The next day, desirous of seeing the mine, we procured a team and drove out to the canyon, a distance of about four miles, where we found the gentlemen who had made the find, and obtained considerable information from them. The claim is located at the mouth and on the right-hand side of Tin Mine Canyon, and is easily accessible. An old wood road runs within a few rods of the mine, and a team can be driven right to the entrance. The indications are very favorable, and are such as no experienced miner could mistake, the chief one being what is termed "muck," a peculiar, rusty looking formation which is a sure sign of coal. Some one found this years ago, and ran a drift some distance into the mountain, but not finding anything to reward his labors, gave up and abandoned the prospect. On finding this deserted claim, Mr. Montgomery, who is an experienced miner, inspected it carefully and found a slight indication which he thought worth following up, and accordingly began to sink a shaft in the drift some distance from the mouth. The indications rapidly developed into a vein of coal which dipped almost perpendicularly, and as the shaft descended, the vein increased in thickness, and a second or auxiliary vein was developed close to and parallel with the first, and now at a depth of about ten feet, they have what they term a "true vein" fully three feet thick separated from a smaller vein a foot in thickness, by a stratum of pipe clay. The clay, however, is steadily working out, and in a short time will doubtless disappear entirely, and the two veins of coal will unite into one good vein. If the thickness of the coal increases in the next forty feet as it has in the first ten, there will be a vein of coal six feet thick, and the thickness is increasing fast. Already about two tons of good coal have been taken out and piled at the mouth of the drift. The shaft will be sunk to a depth of perhaps 150 feet and another shaft be sunk outside and then drifts will be sunk through the vein. The mine will be worked on all the coal in it, and will soon be producing more coal than the company can use. The finders are much elated over their good fortune, as they have good cause to be, and have refused several tempting offers for a half interest. The supply will be practically inexhaustible, for no one was ever known to work out to the end of a vein, and the width of it may be miles. The quality is particularly noticeable as being the best coal that has ever been found in Southern California, and is by odds the biggest vein. The expert at Los Angeles who analyzed a specimen, says it is a high grade of coal, ranking with the Washington Territory coal. It is quite hard, is bright when fractured, and is very clean to handle, not rubbing off on the hands, and burns up to a clean white ash. In this find we have much cause for joy. We will not be the only ones benefitted but all this part of the State will find here a limitless supply of cheap fuel for manufacturing and domestic purposes. It is probable that one of our roads will build a spur up the canyon to the mine and the coal will find its way all over this part of the State. It is not easy to tell just how much this means for South Riverside. It will add tenfold to her growth and importance. This was the one thing needful, the sine qua non, the philosopher's stone which is to turn our gilded fancies into golden realities. Manufacturers will dot the mesa, and the hum of industry will be heard in the land. Our future will be one of greater importance than we had ever dared to hope, and our infant city will at no distant day be one of the chief commercial centers of the new State which time will carve out of Southern California.

A SIX-FOOT VEIN.

Since the above was in type we have received news from the canyon, saying that the vein has increased to six feet in thickness at a depth of sixteen feet. The two veins were, as was supposed, parts of a large vein, which had split open and the crevice had filled with clay. The clay has all worked out, and now we have a good six-foot vein of pure coal. Further developments are anxiously awaited.

WOODARD'S ROAD.

The Usual Atchison Story and the Usual Denial.

[Oakland Tribune, Aug. 17.]

The newspapers are determined to make Col. J. H. Woodard an agent of the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe road, and are determined to show that he bonded the Alameda tide and property, and is about to build the road from Seminary Park to Laundry farm for that road. The doughty Colonel, almost with tears in his eyes, denies that his negotiations and his railroad, to be four miles long, have anything to do with that corporation of active Yankees.

When asked yesterday for whom he is building the road he said: "Not for the Atchison. I say that, although I suppose you will continue to think it is for that company, just the same. Supposing I should tell you that I am going to build the line for some friends of mine in the East, with whom I am associated in a business way, would you believe that? Well, that's exactly the way the thing stands."

COL. WOODARD'S GUESTS.

Perhaps Col. Woodard's guests, prominent men in the management of the Atchison, who drove with him over route last week, have nothing to do with the road. The newspapers insist that they have, and the colonel insists that they have not.

Whatever may be the associates of the redoubtable railroad man, warrior, politician and literateur, the fact is the preliminary work for the construction of the road is in progress. W. F. Boardman, the civil engineer, and other surveyors, were at work yesterday laying out the route.

SAN LEANDRO TO THE BAY.

One report about the short railroad is that it is a feat to allow arrangements for constructing a road from San Leandro to the bay at Alameda, where Col. Woodard has water frontage bonded. The "gentleman in a position to be acquainted with the facts" suggests by using the Seminary Park and Laundry farm road as a stalking horse the projectors might purchase title and iron for the San Francisco and San

Leandro road, the mileage of which will be trifling. The material, placed on the ground at the Laundry farm, would excite no suspicion and the company would have had no reason to fear immediate publicity and would have a good start on its bay terminal line.

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Medical.

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SPARTANBURG, S. C., April 2, 1887.

GENTLEMEN: For twenty years I have had a sore on my left cheek. It had gradually been growing worse. The many physicians whom I had consulted were unable to do me any good. Last fall a year ago I began using S. S. S. At first it inflamed the sore and it became more virulent than ever; so much so, indeed, that my family insisted that I should leave off the medicine. I persisted in using the S. S. S. At the end of two months the sore was entirely healed. Thinking that the evil was out of my constitution, I left off the medicine; but in November, ten months after, a very slight breaking out appeared. I once began again on S. S. S., and now that is also disappearing. I have every faith in S. S. S. It has done me more good than all the doctors and other medicines I ever took.

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TO THE PUBLIC.

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